NORWICH, CONN., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1913

would not be interrupted.

Tobin of East Hartford for Auditor.

over the choice of a party candidate for state auditor, a position which

was made executive, because it was said many matters were to be talked

ship came up, and after a second bal-lot J. P. Tooin of East Hartford won. There was a report that a democrat was to get up in cancus and state that someone had offered some unn-didate \$500 to withdraw from the con-test. Nothing of this nature was said, however.

Ballots for Auditor.

First Second

Ballot, Ballot.

The ballots resulted as follows:

A Three-Headed Commission.

The house chamber was occupied by

over which affect the democrats The doors were closed on all but dem ocratic members. Only the auditor

ship came up, and after a see

J. P. McPartland, Newtown 24 G.M.Nevins, New Fairfield 23 P. L. Soule, West Hartford 19 A. L. Lamb, West Hartford 1 Whole number vote cast....

Necessary for choice

for state auditor, a position while carries a salary of \$1,500. There we many candidates. Senator Landes presided and at the outset the sension

The other business of the day was

The Bulletin's Circulation In Norwich is Double That of Any Other Paper, and Its Total Circulation is the Largest in Connecticut in Proportion to the City's Spulation.

ANOTHER MADERO REPORTED KILLED

Emilio Was Attempting to Join Rebel Forces at Laredo When Overtaken by Troops

THE MANNER OF HIS DEATH NOT YET LEARNED

Prospect of Immediate Peace in Mexico Not Encouraging-Rebel Activity in North on Increase—Zapatistas Burning and Raiding-American Badly Beaten Up and His Life Spared Only on Payment of \$500 to Assailants.

city and Saltillo.

Although there is some increase of brigandage around San Luis Potosi, railroads are operating to the south and east in that section. Hermosillo remains quiet except for the excitements of the section of the excitements of tending sensational rumans.

ment attending sensational rumors which have reached the city from the

RELEASED FROM PRISON. Madero's Private Secretary And Oth-

tion of those persons mildly antagon-

Death of Madero.

throw of Porfirio Diaz, arrived today aboard the steamer Kronprinzessin Cecilie. General Garibaldi was deeply

crimes in history," he said. "At pres-

Standard Thinks It a Pity We Have

London, Feb. 26.—The London news-papers continue to take a lively in-terest in the Mexican situation. In an editorial this morning the Stand-

ard says:

"Perhaps President Taft is right in deciding on non-intervention in Mexico, but it seems a pity that Felix Diaz and his confederates do not commit some breach of international law which would give a civilized power an

The Daily Mail comments on the difficulties facing the United States, It says the very idea of intervention appalls the American government. If a quarter of a million British troops

were two years conquering South Africa at a cost of \$1,000,000,000, the Daily Mail declares, the American troops would find the subjugation of Mexico a task of supreme difficulty,

Mexico City, Feb. 25.—Emilio Madero, a brother of the late President Madero, has been shot and killed north of Monterey, according to reliable information received here.

Attempting to Join Rebels.

With an escort of 35 men, Madero, it is said, was attempting to join the rebels holding Laredo, when he was overtaken by troops sent by General Trevino. The reports do not indicate whether Madero was killed in action or was executed.

Mexico City, Feb. 25.—Emilio Madero for the purpose of two hundred men with the intention of wondows for the purpose of maintaining order. It is strongly suspected, however, that the apparently bellicose attitude of some of the Madero governors and other officials, as well as that of a number of rebel leaders, had been assumed in the hope of thereby inducing the new government to provide them with remunerative offices. or was executed.

The shooting of Madero took place
between Villadama and Bastamente.

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Madero Started a Revolution.

As the rebel leader in the Laredo district, Geronimo Villareal, is a partisan of General Trevino, the govern-ment expects that the trouble in that vicinity will soon be adjusted.

Emilio Madero, in conjunction with his brother Raoul, a few days ago began a counter revolution at San Pedro, in the state of Coahuila, in the expectation of uniting the rebels about Saltillo with those in the Laredo distirct.

Urday night and the American manager, who was attacked and beaten, saved his life only by the payment of live hundred Mexican dollars to his assailants.

The consul at Durango further reports that 200 volunteers have deserted from the Torreon garrison presumably to fight against the new governably to fight against the new governably constants.

Hope for immediate peace in Mexico is slight. Rebel activity in the north has increased and the government's efforts to enter into arrangements with the Zapatistas appear to have failed.
Whether the rebels, whose center is whether the reacts, whose center is the state of Coahulla, have increased numerically is not generally known, but they have so conducted their op-erations already that communication with the frontier has been stopped, that region between Laredo and San Luis Potosi being practically isolated

Luis Potosi being practically isolated Demands of Zapatistas. ton under the recent concentration orders. General Steever, after having
personally inquired into the situation
on the south side of the river near
Brownsville, Texas, which led to a
threat of a Texan invasion, reported
to the war department that the apprehension was groundless. United
States Departy Marshal Linton had told
General Steever that everything was
quiet on the American side of the
river; there had been no outrages
there and he knew of none in Matamoras on the Mexican side. Altogether
the outlook was decidedly peaceful. In the south the Zapatistas continue burning and raiding, and an attack on a military train between Ozumba and Mexico City leaves little room as to mexico City leaves atthe foom as to their attitude toward the new admin-istration. The attack on the train was of the ordinary ambush type. The train was stopped by a burned out bridge and the fighting continued for

more than two hours.
One of the demands of the Zapatistas made today by commissioners repre-senting that section of the rebels was that all Zapatistas officers be admitted to the regular establishments with corresponding rank, some having taken unto themselves the title of general. To this the government strongly ob-

ered the revolution still in progress.

The government has sent forces
southward toward Cuernavaca along be rebuilt.

Reports from the state of Morelos indicate that the work of destruction during the past 24 hours has been more complete than ordinarily.

As indicating the sincerity of the president, most of those whe were arrested immediately after the overthrow of Madero have been released, among them Juan Sachez Argundal and the sincerity of the president, most of those who were arrested immediately after the overthrow of Madero have been released, among them Juan Sachez Argundal and the sincerity of the president, most of those who were arrested immediately after the overthrow of Madero have been released, among them Juan Sachez Argundal and the sincerity of the president, most of those who were arrested immediately after the overthrow of Madero have been released, among them Juan Sachez Argundal and the sincerity of the president, most of those who were arrested immediately after the overthrow of Madero have been released, among the sincerity of the president, most of those who were arrested immediately after the overthrow of Madero have been released, among the sincerity of the president and the president and the sincerity of the sincerity of the president and the sincerity of the sincerity of the president and the sin

To offset the antagonism of the there much doubt telt by the officials that arrangements can be made by the government agents sent to El Paso with representatives of Orozoo's army. Benjamin Arguemedo, Cheche Campos and the two Orozoos, the most valiant leaders, it is announced here,

In the far south three states, Tabasco, Campeche and Yucatan, have
Bot yet recognized the new government. There Pino Suarez had a big
following which has not taken kindly to his removal by death. Owing
to the remoteness of these states the
government is not inclined to consider
their attitule a menace.

There has been much unofficial
speculation as to what the attitude of
the foreign governments will be conarez, but diplomats are inclined to be-lieve that their governments will ac-cept for the present at any rate the official version, especially since it ap-pears impossible to establish counter

The American ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, called on President Huerta this afternoon and at the palace it was unofficially stated that he presented representations from Washington for a more detailed and circumstantial account of the deaths of

former president and former vice It is reliably reported that Senora Madero and the sisters of the late president will probably proceed at an early date to Europe.

NO OUTRAGES AT MATAMORAS. ican Beaten Up Near Voludan and Saves His Life by Payment of \$500 -General Situation in Mexico Regarded More Hopefully at Wash-

Washington, Feb. 25.—The administration is taking a much more hopeful view of the outlook in Mexico. This was reflected in the cabinet meet-

Cabled Paragraphs

German Aviator Killed Cologne, Germany, Feb. 25—Bruno Wernigen, an aviator, fell from a height of 200 feet at Hangelar, near Bonn, today and was killed.

Peruvian Cabinet Resigns. Lima, Peru, Feb. 25.—The Peruvian cabinet under the premiership of General Enrique Varela resigned office today as a sequel to the giving up of his portfolio by the finance minister yesterday.

Japanese Consul Files, Suit. Honolulu, Feb. 25.—The Japanese consul here filed suit yesterday to test the legality of the federal exclusion order barring from United States possessions persons afflicted with hook

Rocks from Blast Kill Sixty. Oveido, Spain, Feb. 25.—Probably 60 persons were killed at Gijon oday while rocks were being blasted in the harbor, according to an urgent message sent to the governor tonight. Gljon is the principal scaport of Asturias.

Lady Scott in Good Health. London, Feb. 25.—Dr. Bruce, a brother of Lady Scott, the widow of the Antarctic explorer, Captain Robert F. Scott, received a wireless despatch from his sister today saying that she had heard of her husband's death and that she was in good health.

Remains of Ponce de Leon Transferred. San Juan, Porto Rico, Feb. 25.—The remains of Ponce de Leon, the first governor of Porto Rico, were transferred today to a crypt in the cathedral—the gift of the Spanish colony to the people of Porto Rico. Cardinal Farley of New York and other dignitaries of the church attended the ceremony.

Reported Engagement Denled Nice, France, Feb. 25.—The reported parriage engagement of Mrs. James linch Smith of New York, recently his assailants.

The consul at Durango further reports that 200 volunteers have deserted from the Torreon garrison presumably to fight against the new government. He says bridges on the Mexican railroad have been burned north and south of Torreon and between that Sinch Smith of New 1078, Feetalty outbished in newspapers in the United States, is denied absolutely by her relatives. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Bertha Barnes of Chicago. Her musband was a victim of the Titanic

Antarctic Explorers Dead. Sydney, N. S. W., Feb. 25,-Two embers of the Mawson Antarctic expedition, Lieut, Ninnis, an Englishman, and Dr. Mertz, Swiss, have died. Dr. Masson and six of his companions have been left for the winter at Adelie Land, War department reports today re-lated principally to the extensive movements of troops towards Galves-ton under the recent concentration or-

WILLIAM J. BRYAN FOR SECRETARY OF STATE This is Now Regarded as Assured Fact

at Washington. Washington, Feb. 25.—Cabinet gos Washington, Feb. 25.—Cabinet gossip took a decidedly active turn about the capitol today, and for the first time democratic leaders professed to speak with definiteness on many of the plans relating to the official family of President-to-be Wilson. It was evident that something more than mere speculation had come to knowledge of those closely identified with the new administration.

William J. Bryan for secretary of state is looked upon as definitely set-tled. Democratic leaders in both the Mexico City, Feb. 25—President Huerta insists that his will not be a government of retaliation or revenge but will devote its energy to the placatled. Democratic leaders in both the senate and house treat this as one of the phases of the cabinet beyond further doubt. Another name referred to with definiteness was that of Representative Albert S. Burleson of Texas as postmaster general. Gossip late in the day, however, indicated that Mr. Burleson might be shifted to the secretaryship of the interior department. Other names believed to be settled upon were those of Josephus Daniels of North Carolina, usually referred to in connection with the navy portfolio, and William G. McAdoo of New York. Democrats believed to be in possession of accurate information from Trenton declined to indicate the exact positions. An amnesty proclamation has been sent broadcast. The government has not forgotten to extned rewards. As a sample General Huerta long resented the fallure of some of his companins in arms to receive promotion and since his assumption of power new straps have been bestowed on number of the same ecorded to Mr. McAdoo and Mr. Dan-

merous officers. Among those thus honored was Colonel Diaz Ordaz, General Felix Diaz's chief lieutenant at Vera Cruz. He was removed from the military prison there, promoted to general and named as commandant of Vera Cruz. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania for attorney general or some other cabinet position was considered probable.

Later tonight a statement by high in congressional authority the following cabinet selections Vera Cruz.

General Angeles, whose reluctance to join in the movement against Madero resulted in his arrest, has been released and, it is said, will retire.

Rodolfo Reyes, minister of justice, will probably retire from the cabinet positively been made: Secretary of State William J. Bryan, Nebraska.

Nebraska.
Secretary of the Treasury William
G. McAdoo, New York.
Secretary of the Navy Joseph Daniels, North Carolina. will probably retire from the cabinet so that he may be free to conduct his own campaign for the presidency. A report is current that he has had a disagreement with President Huerta. Reyes denies this, however, and says that if he resigns it will be because pressure of private business.

"BLACKEST CRIME IN HISTORY."

General Geribaldi Comments on the war.

MRS, SICKLES AGAIN New York, Feb. 25—General Guiseppe Garibaldi, grandson of the Italian liberator, and soldier of fortune, who was one of the leaders under the late President Madero of Mexico in the revolution that resulted in the over-

SAVES THE GENERAL. Takes Chattel Mortgage on All Fur

niture in His Home. New York, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Caroline G. Sickles, who pawned her jewels several months ago to save the household effects of her hisband, Genera Daniel E. Sickles, from going under the hammer, may again prevent the sheriff from selling him out. General Sickles' effects were to have been sold affected by the death of Madero.
"I consider the killing of President Madero of Mexico one of the blackest st I do not care to say anything furher."

Garibaldi said he did not expect to
to to Mexico.

LONDON COMMENT.

Standard Thinks It a Pity We Have

Sickles effects were to have been sold at public auction on March 7 to satisfy a fudgment held by the National bank of Orange county, N. Y., but, Mrs. Sickles this afternoon filed with the sheriff a chattel mortgage covering every bit of furniture in the general's Fifth avenue home.

New York, Feb. 25.—Arrived: Steamer Kronprinzessin Cecilie, Bremen. Cherbourg, Feb. 25.—Arrived: Steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, New York for

New York. New York.

Bremen. Feb. 25.—Arrived: Steamer Buelow, New York.

Glassow, Feb. 25.—Arrived: Steamer California, New York.

London, Feb. 25.—Arrived: Steamer Minnewaska, New York.

Sable Island, Feb. 25.—Steamer Turceman, Avonmouth for Portland.

454 miles east of Portland at 3 a. m.

Two Lynchings in One Night, Marshall, Tex., Feb. 25.—Two negroes were lynched in Harrison county last night, it was discovered today. Near Elysian Fields, a negro named Anderson was hanged. Near Karnack, Robert Perry, charged with horse stealing, was shot to death. Another negro, George Redden, also charged with horse stealing, was wounded in the less by the men was billed Parents. sateguard American interests in Mexico, in view of the excellent disposition professed towards Americans by
the Huerta government.

The only threat of serious trouble
came from the consul at Ciudad, Porforta Piaz, who reported that Coionel Jesus Carrenza, brother of the

Shouter of Madero Land
American interests in MexLaredo, Texas, Feb. 25.—A telegram
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the late tonight from Monterey denies that city, as reported
in a despatch from Mexico City. Evforta Piaz, who reported that Coionel Jesus Carrenza, brother of the
Monterey, according to the despatch.

Tuberculosis Anhut to Go on Witness Stand

THAW'S RELEASE.

lis Counsel Says He Will Admit Recussing the Case With Dr. Russell.

WILL TESTIFY TODAY

New York, Feb. 25.—"Everything certinent to the inquiry" will be told to the Sulzer investigating commission tomorrow by John N. Anhut, acsion tomorrow by John N. Annut, ac-cording to a statement issued today by Clifford L. Beare, a lawyer whom Annut has retained to represent him at the hearing. Denial will be made by Annut, however, that he paid or offered any bribe to secure the release of Thaw.

Will Object to Thaw Testifying. Objection to Thaw testifying as a witness will be made by Beare. He will contend he says, that Thaw is "irresponsible" and that his testimony accordingly could have no weight. His Relations With Dr. Russell.

Regarding Anhut's relations with Dr. Russell, Anhut will admit, accord-Dr. Russell, Anhut will admit, according to Beare, that they discussed Thaw's case at a hotel in white Plains, N. Y., last summer and that subsequently they were together in New York. Anhut will concede also, said his counsel, that Thaw paid him a "substantial retainer fee" in connection with a new court fight to get out of Matteawan, but will declare that he is not acquainted with Governor Sulzer, Colonel Scott or W. F. Clarke.

Beare threw some light on what he described as Thaw's latest move to get his freedom. This, according to the lawyer, was to have western allenists examine Thaw to determine his mental status. It was to be set forth mental status. It was to be set forth that the eastern field of allenists had that the eastern field of allenists had been raked fine during Thaw's previous efforts to be declared same. Beare said the Sulzer commission will be told that Thaw broached this idea to Dr. Russell and that the latter, agreeing to aid Thaw in getting counsel, said to Thaw: "Iknow a young New York lawyer who would be the very man to handle this case now," and that Anhut was the lawyer Dr. Russell mentioned.

sell mentioned. Plan Fell Through. Owing to disquieting rumors, Thaw's plan fell through, the statement adds, and Thaw complained to Alfred Heury Lewis, a magazine writer, with the result that Lewis communicated with

THAW'S COMPETENCY AS WITNESS IN QUESTION. Governor Receives Two Letters Urging Release of Murderer.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 25—The question of Harry K. Thaw's competency as a witness in the examination which Governor Sulzer's committee of inbanker's son-in-law, Ray Paris, of this city. william F. Clark, its former secretary, I has been raised.

John H. Delaney, a member of the committee of inquiry, said tonight that while Thaw's testimony probably would not hold in a court of record, The committee was going to examine

the committee was going to examine ment upon the matter until the com-mittee has completed its investigation. Since assuming office the governor has received two letters soliciting his aid

Von Mersiwosky of Greensburg, Pa.

ENOUGH FOR A CHILD Referee So Finds in Case of 14-Year-Old Helen DeWitt.

New York, Feb. 25.—An income of \$12,000 a year is not sufficient for the needs of fourteen-year-old Helen A. DeWitt of this city, according to a referee who considered her guardian's demand for an increase, The referee recommended to the surrogate that the child receive \$20,000 annually. The girl is a daughter of the late William Percival DeWitt, from whom she inherited \$300,000 eight years after inheriting \$1,000,000 upon her mother's death.

"Participation in social life," a pros-pective trip abroad, education and a maid and a governess are mentioned among reasons for the girl's request for a larger income.

TO MAKE DEMAND FOR

GOVERNMENT TROOPS Texas and New Mexico Senators Want An Explanation.

Washington, Feb. 25.—A demand upon the government for adequate troops to protect El Paso and other border points will be made tomorrow either through the senate foreign affairs committee or upon the floor of the senate by senators from Texas and New Mexico. Many telegrams from city and state officials received by Senators Sheppard of Texas and Fall and Catron of New Mexico, resulted in their determination to ask the sentended of the se ate to demand an explanation from the

Boston, Feb. 25 .- Lieutenant Francis English Feb. 25.—Lieutenant Francis
L. Harris, the last survivor of the
Hayes Arctic expedition which went
north in a futile search for Sir John
Franklin, died today at his home in
Roxbury in his 89th year. Luis F. Carbo.

New York, Feb. 25.—Luis F. Carbo, former minister of Ecuador to the United States and long prominent in the diplomatic service and governmental affairs of his country, died here today. He was on a visit from Washington, He was 55 years of age.

J. B. DeRosier, Motorcyclist. Springfield, Mass., Feb. 25.—J. B. De-Rosier, holder of all the motorcycle records for 35 to 100 miles, died at his home here tonight. He was 33 years old. DeRosier's death was the result of injuries sustained during a racing meet in Los Angeles last summer.

Steamers Reported by Wireless, Fastnet, Feb. 25.—Steamer Campania, New York for Queenstewn and Liverpool, 173 miles west at 9 a. m. Due Queenstewn 8 p. m.
Siesconsett, Mass., Feb. 25.—Steamer Oceania, Patras for New York, 376 miles east of Sandy Heok at noon.

Condensed Telegrams **Expert** is Here

WILL DENY OFFERING BRIBE FOR TURNS OVER BACILLI FOR A GOV-ERNMENT TEST.

HAS CURED HUNDREDS

Consists of Bacilli from a Turtle Into Which Tubercular Bacilli from

New York, Feb. 25—The United States government took official rec-onition of the claim of Dr. Frederick F. Friedmann to the discovery for the curs of tuberculosis, when by au-thority of the surgeon-general, a phy-sician of the United States marine hospital service, Dr. Milton H. Foster, was sent to meet the young German physician on his arrival here today aboard the steamship Kronprinzessin

Government to Test Bacilli. At the request of the government urgeon, Dr. Friedmann, after half an surgeon, Dr. Friedmann, after half an hour's conference aboard the steam-ship on the trip up from quarantine, consented to turn over a quantity of his baccilli to be tested by the government and to demonstrate the efficiency of his cure before physicians of the hospital service. He agreed to meet a laboratory expert of the government in this city Thursday to arrange for the demonstration, which will be tried on Intercular nations.

Bacilli From a Turtle. Dr. Friedmann, who comes to this country at the invitation of Charles E. Finley, a New York banker, who hopes the physician will be able to cure his son-in-law of tuberculosis, declared tonight that his remedy was not a secret and that he purposed to declared tonight that his remedy was not a secret and that he purposed to make known "to all the world" the method by which it was created and the manner in which it was administered. It consisted of bacilli taken from a turtle into which tubercular bacilli from a human being had hear injected be explained.

had been injected, he explained. Has Cured Hundreds.

"I have been working upon the cure for fourteen years and in the last two and a half years I have tried from 2,-500 to 3,000 patients," he asserted. "How many I have absolutely cured I cannot estimate, but their number ha cannot estimate, but their number has run into the hundreds. The remedy cures all forms of tuberculosis except such cases as are quite hopeless—that is, on the point of death. The process is a slow one, but the first effects are to be seen two or three weeks after inoculation. The time when an absolute cure can be said to be affected is a matter of months."

No Offer of \$1,000,000. Dr. Friedmann denied that he had been offered \$1,000,000 by Mr. Finley if he would cure 95 out of 100 patients in this country. He admitted that he was to receive a "substantial compen-

"I am not mercenary," he said. "All I care about is sufficient reward to enable me to demonstrate my cure to

Delegates Decide to Await Gompers'

the International Association trial, today were ordered by the dele-gates at the annual convention to be deferred until after the visit from Samuel Gonpers, president of the American Federation of Labor, After Frank M. Ryan, the president, John T. Butler, the first vice president

John T. Butler, the first vice president, and 31 other executive board members and business agents of the Iron Workers' union, were convicted last December of using the union's funds to pay the expenses of John J. McNamara's "dynamiting campaign," the members started a plan for reorganizing the union. When the question of selecting new officers and adopting other policies effecting the union's welfare came cies affecting the union's welfare came up at the business session today the delegates voted to delay action until

ADMISSION THAT DORR KILLED GEO. E. MARSH.

Was in Self Defence. Salem, Mass., Feb. 25-William Dorr. Marsh, a retired business man of the postal authorities has wealth, will take the stand tomorrow wealth, will take the standing his own defence.

This announcement by counsel late in the afternoon afforded the second in the afternoon afforded the second in the afternoon afforded the second in the day for those who surprise of the day for those who crowded the courtroom. Earlier they had heard Attorney Charles N. Barnes frankly admit that his client had shot

The attorney said that it was true that Dorr had killed Marsh, but he shot him in protecting himself. He contended that the trust fund of \$100,-000 which was to have gone ultimate-ly to Miss Marsh had become so invoived in legal entanglements that the woman's only hope of receiving it rested on the survival of Marsh until the matter had been straightened out.

Dorr's only interest in the fund was to protect the rights of his aunt, counsel said

Deposed Governor on Trial.

Ell Paso, Texas, Feb. 25.—Abraham Gonzales, deposed governor of Chihuahua state, is being tried by court martial. He is charged with a revolutionary plot in which it is alleged an attempt was to have been made to dynamite the barracks at Chihuahua City, where hundreds of federal solders are quartered. If convicted his execution is expected.

Birst meeting after Beych elleged in first mee

Chicage, Feb. 25.—Three indictments inder the Sherman law against Chieago packers were dismissed here to-day in the federal court by order of Attorney General Wickersham Anoth-er indictment, obtained in 1905, also was dismissed, thus clearing the calen. dar of all charges against the packers.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Carrying appreximately \$12,657,852, ef which \$10,095,952 is appropriated out of the treasury, the remainder being reimbursible items, the Indian appropriation bill was today pussed by the senate.

Cleveland's "Golden Rule" Chief of colice Fred Kohler yesterday was sus-ended by Mayor Newton D. Haker,

A Proposed Labor Law fixing 54 hours as a week's work for women and children was killed in the Maine egislature yesterday.

The House Money Trust committee probably wil vote today on its report, which will be submitted to the house on Thursday or Friday.

Secretary Knox Yesterday Issued formal announcement to the publi that the Income tax amendment inow a part of the constitution.

Lee M. Watson, Aged 47, committed sulcide yesterday at his home at Au-burn, Me., by shooting himself in the head with a .28 calibre revolver.

A Dinner of Canned Herrings served in the barracks at Port Royal, Kingston, Jamaica, sent 30 soldiers to the military hospital with ptomaine poisning.

Henry F. Hollis, Democrat, lacked aree votes of an election as United tates senator at the conclusion of the allot in the New Hampshire legisla

Theodore Roosevelt made public a letter yesterday in which he endorses the idea of fusion against Tammany Hall in the New York municipal eleclong next fall

Rev. Frank C. Brynor, a Methodis Episcopal pastor, caused a stir at a neeting of Methodist ministers at Chicago when he came out as a cham pion of boxing.

A Probation System for all United States courts, except those in the Dis-trict of Columbia, is proposed in a bill favorably reported from the senata judiciary committee. The St. James Episcopal Church, the most fashionable in Chicago, will give public dances in its parish house to keep shop girls and office boys from the public dance halls.

Illinois Miners in State Convention esterday voted unanimously in favor giving the striking miners of West

hem in their struggle. Cardinal Gibbons Received the sufragist army of the Hudson in audi-mee yesterday and was presented with a "Yotes for Women" flag by General" Rosalle Jones.

Resolutions of Tribute to the mem-ry of the late Judge James P. Platt f the United States district court The Senate Vesterday Passed

ess than 15 minutes' debate. It is the government. The Trial of Jack Johnson on smarg

of Winnipeg, Man., yesterday. The principal loss was on a block of build-ngs owned by Sir Daniel McMillan,

former governor. James A. Smith of Vermont to be consul general at Calcutta, India. The nomination of Alphonse Caulin of Rhode Island to be consul at Calcutta

was withdrawn. silk dyers went on strike at various mills at Paterson, N. J., yesterday, the former demanding an eight hour day and two-loom system, the latter a minimum wage of \$12 a week.

givania to give to a customer a finger bowl that has not been "thoroughly deansed" since its last preceding use, f a bill passed by the lower branch of

Federal Judge Holt of New York yesterday extended the time limit for filing claims in the admiratty court for recovery of damages for loss of life growing out of the Titante disaster to April 15, exactly a year after the

Jack Johnson, the Pugilist, who has been ill for some days with pneumo-nia, was reported worse yesterday, and rumors were circulated that he was dead. His physician, however, stated that Johnson had rallied and was not

Pa, has mailed to every citizen a list of the names of signers for licenses in that city. The list contains names of prominent townsmen and the aid of the postal authorities has been invoked

swore out a warrant against the Rev. J. A. Vance of the First Presbyterian church, charging him with slander. It is alleged that the pastor stated from that pulpit that Barnett took a bribe the aged man though, as he asserted, and was then re-elected alderman.

terests of a tobacco company which is fighting an anti-cigarette and anti-snuff bill in the North Dakota legisla-

John Beal Sneed, a wealthy west Texas ranch owner, was yesterday de-clared not guilty of the murder of Al G. Boyce, Jr., at Amarillo, Tex., last September. Sneed shot Boyce to death on a street in Amarillo upon their

President E. J. Chamberlin of the Grand Trunk railway, who consulted with other officials of the road in Boston yesterday, will today confer with the members of the Rhode Island gen-eral assembly on a plan for financing the proposed Southern New England

Two Hundred and Fifty Banks in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Massachusetts have notified the New York clearing house of their acceptance of the amendment to the rules providing for the clearing of their checks through members of the clearing house on or after March 1 next.

DEMANDEL IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

Charles J. Bennett Presents Himself at Office of Highway Commissioner After His Election

ABSENCE U. MACDONALD DELAYED PROGRAMME

New Highway Commissioner Finally Decides to Give His Predecessor Time to Close Up His Private Affairs-Senate Confirms Governor's Appointee by Vote of 31 to 3-Democrats Select Tobin of East Hartford For Auditor.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 25.—Charles J. Bennett of Hartford is highway commissioner of the state by virtue of the action of the state by virtue of the action of the state this afternoon in confirming him as the appointee of Governor Baldwin. Scarcely a moment was lost in having the resolution was sure—the routine of the office and offer his assistance in any way possible to enable him to take up the duries. ment was lost in having the resolution sent to the engrossing cierk and thence to the office of the secretary of state, where the commission was duly made out. The commission was formally signed by the governor and Secretary of State Phillips shortly after 5 o'clock. It was necessary—or deemed expedient—to summon Secretary Phillips from his house in Stamtary Phillips from his home in Stam-ford to countersign the commission, and Mr. Phillips arrived in this city at 5.11 p. m. not many minutes later the commission was handed to Mr. Bennett in the governor's office.

Demands Possession of Office. The new commissioner then made as first move towards taking possession of the bighway department office,
A procession was formed in the outer
executive office, made up of Secretary
Phillips, Mr. Bennett, Executive Secretary Thomas, Senator Peck, and a
number of newspapermen. The line of parade was from the east to the left wing of the capitol. On arriving at the commissioner's office Mr. Bennett asked for Mr. Macdonaid, and was in-formed by Deputy Commissioner Kel-sey that the late commissioner was not in. Mr. Bennett sald he had come to take possession of the office. Mr. Kelsey did not know what to do, although Mr. Bennett thought Mr. Macdonald could be found if desired. Mr. Bennett, however, said he was perfectly willing to give Mr. Macdonald ample time in which to close up his private affairs in the office and to

private affairs in the office and to get together his belongings.

Confirmed by Vote of 31 to 3.

Although it was suggested to him, Mr. Bennett declined to give any orders to the employes in the office. The procession then returned to the starting point and the formal turning over of the office by Mr. Macdonald to Mr. Bennett was part off until tomorrow. The confirmation of Mr. Bennett was part off until tomorrow. The confirmation of Mr. Bennett was part off until tomorrow. The confirmation of Mr. Bennett was part off until tomorrow. The confirmation of Mr. Bennett was part off until tomorrow. The confirmation of Mr. Bennett was by a vote of 31 to 3. The republican senators who were in the negative vote were Keach of Killingly, G. H. Johnson the commission would not be in the inverse of the state. In a single head the commission would not be in the inverse of the state. In a single head the commission would not be in the inverse of the state. senators who were in the negative vote were Keach of Killingly, G. H. Johnson of Morris and Keeney of Somers. Of the state, In a single the sighter's illness.

Fire of Unknown Origin did \$300,000 lamage in the retail business quarter of Winnipeg, Man., yesterday The Senator Keach said his vote, and itself. The confirmation followed a short debate in which there was only slight tinges of bitterness.

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The debate, such as it was, was directed at the action of Senator Isbell of the committee in filing a statement with the report pointing out that other legislation would be better at this time than the changing of commissions. was in readiness to sign the commission as soon as it could be made out.

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Will Have to Name Him.

Winsted, Conn., Feb. 25—The train schedule on the Central New England railread was considerably upset late today owing to the partial derailment of passenger train No. 4, eastbound, in the West Winsted yards, No one was intured.

than the changing of commissioners.

After the vote had been taken Commissioner Macdonald declined to make any comment upon it or to outline what course he would necessary.

The Sunday bills were heard by the judiciary committee and there were vigorous arguments on both sides of the question. The committee room was in readiness to sign the commission as soon as it could be made out.
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is given out, the belief is held that tomorrow Mr. Macdonald will cordially

was crowded and aside for a short
hearing on a bill concerning the
Waterbury court the afternoon was
given up to advocates of a more liberal
observance of Sunday.

> BECAME GRAFT AGENT. TRAVELING SALESMAN She Shot Him.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 25.—Though Mrs. Applebaum is in jail here tonight to await the inquiry of the grand jury. into the killing of her husband former poolroom keeper, who was indicted vesterday for alleged bribery. Shea sent word from his cell today that he was prepared to tell all he knew. With his wife and counsel, Shea was taken to Mr. Whitman's office and there cave his narration. He fice and there gave his narration. He said that at a time when he was pay-ing \$50 weekly for protection for his told of a quarrel and of being threat-ened with death by the man, who all 2 o'clock in the morning demanded possession of her diamond necklace poolroom, he became a graft agent and collector in the district commanded by Dennis Sweeney, the former police in spector. Sweeney since has been de

and dby and earrings.

With a revolver against her breast she testified he threatened:

"It is 2 o'clock now. I'll give for just five minutes more to live."

"That is all I remember," she desired one called the clerk, who met Mrs. Application. moted and also is under indictment as a grafter.

For eighteen months Shea spied on regularly to Sergeant Peter Duffy, one of Sweeney's men, now under indictment. This information was used to regulate the price of tribute levied on resort keepers, said Shea, who gave a list of thirty places in Harlem from which, besides getting facts of the extent of their illegal business, he said he collected graft. This money, he deleved by turned over to Duffy. baum in negligee on the stairs. She fainted in his arms. In the room he found Applebaum's partly clothed body on the floor, two bullet holes in the right arm and a third in the chest. The revolver lay several feet away, it is said and there were no now the their illegal business, he said the graft. This money, he determined over to Duffy.

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THE THIRD ARBITRATOR.

The revolver lay several feet away, it is said, and there were no powder marks seen about the wounds.

Mrs. Applebaum has not yet been able to talk coherently about the tragedy, although some of her statements are corroborated by H. Cohen, the guest who telephoned the clerk.

NAVAL APPROPRIATION

New York, Feb. 25.—Albert P. Phil-lips, third vice president of the Broth-erhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, and W. W. Atterbbury, vice president and general manager of Probability That Measure Will be Passed by House Today.

the Pennsylvania railroad, the two arbiters selected respectively by the firemen and the railroads under the Erded until late tonight with the real man act to meet and agree upon a storm over the battleship increase third and neutral arbiter of the fire-men's wage and other demands, again Play injected into debate over the men's wage and other demands, again today failed to make the selection,

It is considered very doubtful if they will be able to agree upon a man. In this event the act provides that the presiding judge of the United States commerce court and the United States commissioner of labor shall make the Auto Goes Over Embankment.

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Naugatuck, Conn., Feb. 28.—Walter Ogenewski had a narrow escape from serious injury, if not death, this afterneon, when the automobile ha was driving get beyond his course, plunged through a fence and down a steen and through a fence and down a steen and hankment. The machine was brought in against a tree with great force Ogenewski escaped without a scratch and the machine was hardly injured.